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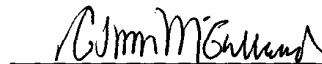
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**STATEMENT OF RELEVANCY**

**Reference AO (2000-281369) on Form PTO-1449:**

This reference is discussed in the specification.

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	AO	2000-281369	10/10/00	Japan (with English Abstract)	YES	NO	X
	AP	2000-72460	03/07/00	Japan (with English Abstract)			X
	AQ	2000-72461	03/07/00	Japan (with English Abstract)			X
	AR	2001-2431	01/09/01	Japan (with English Abstract)			X
	AS	2001-2433	01/09/01	Japan (with English Abstract)			X
	AT	2001-2434	01/09/01	Japan (with English Abstract)			X
	AU	2001-2435	01/09/01	Japan (with English Abstract)			X
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